

HISTORY 2112 SECTION 05, WARNER ROBINS
UNITED STATES HISTORY TO 1865
SPRING SEMESTER 2016
MIDTERM EXAM

- Answer only the number of questions indicated. If you answer more than that, I'll grade the first answers I come to and I won't count the rest.
- Tell me everything that you think is reasonably related to the question that I ask. You lose credit for leaving out relevant information, for including irrelevant information, and for including wrong information.
- Write legibly. If I can't read it, I can't grade it and you can't get credit for it. Good grammar and spelling aren't required as long as I can understand the answer.
- Once the exam begins, I cannot answer any substantive questions about it.
- If you leave the room for any reason, you cannot resume taking the exam.
- To complete the exam, you must turn in this exam, turn in your bluebook, turn in your scantron, and sign the roll. I will not count anything written on this exam form—only information in the bluebook or the scantron.
- The Student Code of Conduct is in force. NO ELECTRONIC DEVICES ALLOWED FOR ANY REASON.
- I'll take up the papers at 10:45 AM sharp.

I. Answer one of the following questions. (This answer counts 60% of the midterm exam grade.)

- a.) Discuss the basics of American government and the United States Constitution and how these things were related to the causes of the Civil War, including both the Confederates' and President Lincoln's views of the Constitution.
- b.) Write an essay on major social changes during the Gilded Age.

II. Answer four of the following questions. (Each answer counts 10% of the midterm exam grade.)

- 1.) Black Codes
- 2.) The Tenure of Office Act
- 3.) The trust
- 4.) The Pullman Strike
- 5.) The Pendleton Act
- 6.) William Graham Sumner